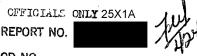
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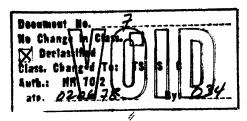
1. The price in guilders per 100 kilograms of pepper is: Kotabaru white pepper 5,400 and Lampong black pepper 3,000. The rise in price is the result of the hoarding of pepper and of the disposal of excess guilders.

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2. On 20 December the price of 100 ORI was 15 guilders as compared with 1 guilder on 1 November.

The buying price of gold per gram (24 carat) in Batavia as of 20 December was 47 guilders.

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